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The Intelligencer.

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The Maine Fraud. Among those who denounce the shame-less steal in Maine are Senator Beck, of Kentucky, and Editor Watterson, of the Louisville Journal, Senator Beck expresse the fear that the outrage will seriously damage the Democratic cause throughou the North. Watterson expresses himself

damage the Democratic cause throughout the North. Watterson expresses himself as follows in his paper:

"There is no possible way in which Alonzo V. Garcelon can be prevented from making himself Governor as long as he lives, and from keeping his precious set of villains in their seats in his council for life, provided they can secure nominations for the places, and can find courage to throw out Republican returns enough each year to seat their own tools in the Legistative Chamber. Popular liberty thus has its throat cut in liberty-loving New England by the scalpel of a Down-East doctor, and nothing but the hope that the infinite justice of Heaven will overtake him, stands hetween this and the future subjection of the State of Maine to his dictatorship, if he is brazen enough to continue this kind of work. There is but one thing that would meet the case with perfect justice, and that would be the short shift of this man with a stout cord from one of the lims of Augusta. But New England takes the more tardy but equally sure way through the ballot box, and even puppet Garcelon and maestro Pillsbury will not have assurance to use their power against one more verdict by the sturdy sons of y Maine, which they will get next September.

WASHINGTON, December 22.-General

Wickham and Colonel Sener, two promipent Virginia Republicans, passed here yesterday on their return from a visit to Philadelphia. These gentlemen state that they had no business in Philadelphia other than to see Grant and pay their respects to him. They had quite a conversation with him, and are of quite a conversation with him, and are of the opinion that he will accept the Republican nomination if offered. Nothing was said by Grant directly to the point, but he made many inquiries about Virginia politics and the attitude of the parties there.

When Sener met him he said bluntly, "General Grant, we intend to make you our next President, and I will do all in my power to bring it about, and so will Gen-eral Wicksham."

'Thank you, gentlemen," said General

irant.
Sener thinks there was a good deal of meaning even in the "thank you." They redict a solid Grant delegation from Virmins, unless Grant peremptorily declines. Sener is a member of the National Republican Committee, and has recently more appointed Chief Justice of Wyoming. In case Grant refuses to be a candidate its Pennsylvania friends say that the delegation will be about equally divided be gation will be about equally divided be-tween Sherman and Blaine.

An intimate personal friend of General Grant who arrived here to-day, and who saw him in Philadelphia on Saturday

saw him in Philadelphia on Saturday night, stated to your correspondent this evening that he felt perfectly justified in saying that General Grant has now come to the determination to permit his name to be brought before the Republican National Convention for the Presidential nomination. He says that it is generally understood in Philadelphia among the friends who surround Grant that Don Cameron went on the National Committee with the sole object of promoting Grant's interest.

A member of the Cabinet, just returned from Philadelphia, where he went to pay served for entry unstee cancelled and the land reserved for entry under the laws specially a served for entry under the laws specially serve

from Philadelphia, where he went to pay his respects to Grant, says the ex-Presi-dent did not touch wine or liquor at any of the numerous dinners and banquets there, and his complexion plainly shows the absence of stimulants.

that he will then be forced to declare him-self one way or the other. It is the plan to instruct the Pennsylvania delegates for Grant, and if he declines, of course the instructions will do no harm, but if he shows a willingness to be a candidate it will be a big boom to begin with.

The Grant men say that Pennsylvania will lead off in a manner that cannot be mistaken, and that she means Grant.

Ngw York, December 23.—A thief en-will be a big boom to begin with.

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Indiana Immigration.

WASHINGTON, December 22,-Senator Voorhees, the head of the Exodus Committee, has exodused to Indiana without having called the committee together or ven consulted with the members about it. It is thought here that if the committee would organize at once and intercept the little squads of colored people continually passing through heregoing westward, they could pick up valuable information.

The latest baich which passed through here had money to pay their way, travellere had money to pay their way, traveling as free American citizens and asking
odds of nebody. They declare that they
left North Carolina soil because they could
not make a living there, and because they
were regarded and treated as being unequal to the whites before the law. To
the question whether they had been urged
by strangers, whether white or black, to
year to Indian or any other State, they ango to Indiana or any other State, they an swered emphatically in the negative, and asserted that they had never known or heard of the presence in North Carolina of any strangers engaged in such work. They had been led to go to Indiana by representations of their former neighbors who sattled in that State two years ago, and who had been urging their relatives and friends ever since to join them there, and also by statements of two colored men who went to Indiana from the southern part of North Carolina a year or two ago. They also said that a colored shoemaker who went to Ohlo five years ago has recently revisited his old home, and tried to induce all his friends to go to Ohio. swered emphatically in the negative, and

Bestruction and Loss of an Eye from a

Three years ago, while hunting, Mr. i. Geo. Baldwin, of Hopedale, Harrison county, O., was hit in the eye with a piece of gun cap. It gave him no trouble until six weeks ago, since when he has been laid up. Dr. Sadler, 250 Penn avenue, was called in consultation last Friday, removed the eye that night after 9 o'clock and returned next morning, leaving the patient free from pain, under the care of Dr. West, his physician. The piece of cap was found lodged behind his iris in the lower side, surrounded by pus.—Pittsburgh Daily Dispatch.

NEXT YEAR'S CONTEST.

Secretary Sherman's Attitude Toward the Grant Movement-How Prominent Joursals and Politicians View the Drift of Public Opinion-What is Likely to Happen Within the Next Six Months

Washington, December 22.—About the only news talked of here, now that Congress is out of town, is the Maine muddle and the Presidential question. The big Grant boom in Philadelphia, with the visit of most of the Administration to that city, and the announced intention of the President to pay General Grant a special call, has set all sorts of rumors afloat in Washington concerning the future intenis the most improbable is that Secretary Sherman is going to withdraw from th Presidential race entirely and assist in nominating Grant. There is no founda-Freadential race entirely and assist in nominating Grant. There is no foundation for this in any word or act of Sherman or any of his friends. The correspondent of the Pittsburgh Dipacth has if from the best authority that Mr. Sherman will not withdraw, but that, on the contrary, he will dispute the nomination of both Grant and Blaine vote by vote in the convention for the nomination.

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There is another story going the rounds of the hotels to-night, to the effect that Mr. Sherman will throw away his Presidential prospects, and at the last moment will announce himself as a candidate for the United States Senate and snatch the Prize away from Garfield. This is utterly absurd. Your correspondent has it from a number of reliable sources that Garfield will be nominated on the first ballot. It a number of reliable sources that Garneu will be nominated on the first ballot. It is well known here that Garfield is for Sherman for President as against Blaine or Grant, and though Sherman is reported to be neutral in the Senatorial fight, Geh. Garfield has assurances of his symmetry of the control of pathy and support.

THE GOVERNMENT HOLIDAYS. the departments will be closed Christmas

In New York the tobacco manufacturers protest against the proposed change in the internal revenue stamps on tin foil to-bacco wraps, and the department promises to consult the wishes of the trade before

A PROTEST BY AMERICAN JEWS. With reference to the proposed negotiations for a commercial treaty between the United States and Roumania, it is ascertained that Secretary Evarts has instruct ed Minister Kasson to take notice of a ed Minister Kasson to take notice of a letter filed at the State Department by Simon Woolt, on behalf of delegates of the Board of American Israelites, protesting against any recognition of the Roumanian Government until it complies with the provisions of the Berlin treaty guaranteeing not only civil but religious liberty to all its subjects. Minister Kasson is instructed to act in accordance with the request in this letter.

entry must be cancelled and the land reserved for entry under the laws specially applicable to mining lands. The issue was presented by the case of Smith Scroggin vs. Charles E. Culver et al. involving the title to a tract of 2 000 acres of land in Camden District, Arkansas, which was purchased from the Government at private entry in 1878, but subsequently found to contain argentiferous ores.

title to a tract or cand his complexion plainly shows for absence of stimulants.

A gentleman from Virginia, who arrical to-day, reports that the same men who isoted for Grant in preference to Greeley, are working up a movement in favor of irant for next President, and General Mahone as Vice President. This gentleman referred to says that a ticket of Grant and Mahone would carry Virginia.

The first Republican State Convention prior to the Presidential campaign, will be that of Pennsylvania, which will be that of Pennsylvania, which will be called to meet February 22. Pennsylvania Grant men now here say that it is the information of the Grant party to give his found in the Grant party to give his function of the Grant party to give his chool for acting as pall-bearers at the function of the Grant party to give his function of the Grant party to give his chool for acting as pall-bearers at the function of the Grant party to give his function of the Grant party of the Grant case and \$15 in another and costs, amount-ing to \$300. The case has caused much excitement, and the defendant has asked

tered the house of General Hendrickson, 144 West Forty-eighth street, and being detected by an aged cook, assaulted he detected by an aged cook, assaulted her with a club, probably inflicting fatal injuries. He then sought to escape with the silverware, when another servant, Mary Brady, roused by the screams of the cook, grappled with him and forced him back into the kitchen, from a window of which he escaped, but was arrested afterwards. The thief is a mulatto named John Robertson, of 123 East Sixty-third street. The cook's name is Mary Redford.

Sandy Oranges.

NEW YORK, December 23 .- The steamship Colombo recently arrived from Mediterranean ports with fruit. One of the boxes of oranges appeared unusually heavy and upon opening it, in each of it heavy and upon opening it, in each of its three compartments were discovered small bags of sand carefully packed around with straw and opposite the open spaces be-tween the slats of the box was a row of half a dozen oranges. The deception has been most complete. It was discovered that 450 orange boxes packed with sand had been stowed in the hold.

Cincinnati Troubles.

CINCINNATI, December 23 .- Peter Gilroy aged 24 years, died this morning, from a wound received in an affay a week ago Sunday. An old man named Wm. Orb-ner has been arrested to-day, charged with having inflicted the fatal blow with a large bytcher knife.

large butcher knife.

Jno. Love, the expert, arrived from
Washington to-day, for the purpose of
making a thorough investigation of the
records of the United States court's effice.

A Confessed Forger. Bosron, December 23 .- James F. Edmonds, a heretofore highly respected citizen of Newton, plead guilty to the indictment charging him with forging the names of Lords and Furnald, former partners in the business, to notes representing up-wards of \$50,000, and be has been sen-tenced to five years and six months in the State prison at Montreal.

The late Chief Justice Chase was cured of a complicated disease of the liver and kidneys, in the summer of 1871, by Bethesda Water, after all other, remedies had felled to afford him permanent relief, and he never logs an opportunity of recommending it.

PRESIDENTIAL STRAWS.

ssip of Prominent Journals and Poli New York, December 22.-The Tribuna

editorially denies the stories from Phila-delphia that Sherman has joined with Grant, and, speaking by authority, says "There is the best reason for saying that

the Secretary has never changed the views concerning the third term which he exago. He has had no conversation

ago. He has had no conversation whatever with General Grant on the subject,
and was not even in Philadelphia at the
time of some of the alleged interviews.
He preferred Don Cameron as a well-qualified and most capable man for the chairmanship of the National Committee."
The Herald of to-day says:
"Secretary Sherman's ostensible business in New York is to attend the New
England dinner. His most important
mission, however, is to secure harmony
among all the Republican leaders in New
York State politics. A very full understanding upon this subject has already
been reached, partially through correspondence, but mainly through personal
consultations. The differences which have
heretofore existed between the Secretary consultations. The differences which have wheretofore existed between the Secretary of and the late officers of the Custom House chave been adjusted in the main, and it is 2 believed by those who are informed in regard to all the steps that have been thus what hat a complete and satisfactory understanding will soon be reached. Governor Cornell, it is understood, will coperate cordially with the Secretary upon what he in connection with the leaders in New York State may agree to be best for the interests of the Republican party in the approaching campaign."

In an interview with a reporter Sherman was asked about the Maine election. He answered: "I look upon, the action of Governor Garcelon and those associated with him in this matter as a great ournge; in the life of the secretary of the secret

ith him in this matter as a great outrage out I rely upon the people of Maine to Senator Beck was asked to-day about the

Senator Beck was asked to-day about the Democratic Presidential candidates. His answer was: "We don't care who it is — Tom Hendricks, Hancock, Tilden, Bayard, Thurman, or Seymour—it will be all one. We shall give him a rousing majority," "Who will have the preference?" "That will be hard to tell. We like robust, straightforward, outspoken men, who can get on the stump, look us straight in the eyes and say just what they mean." "How does Tilden answer to this description?" "Oh, we'll vote for him if he is put up. Dan Voorhees, though, is the most popular man in our State. He goes in like a race-horse, and knows exactly how to enthuse our people, and they like to be enthused."

Senator Booth, of California, said in an Senator Booth, of California, said in an interview: "I do not think the feeling in our State is in layor of the nomination of Grant; although, if he were nominated, he would receive an energetic support, and would carry the State beyond all doubt. The people are undoubtedly opposed to a third term under other than exceptional circumstances."

"Blaine, undoubtedly, among the Republicans can have the delegation if he wants it, and can carry the State if he is mominated. After him I think that, despite the opposition which I have suggested, Grant would probably be the second choice, as he undoubtedly will be in many other States."

nany other States."
Senator Paddock, of Nebraska, said that

Senator raddock, of Nepraska, said that Grant to-day stood the best chance to se-cure the Republican nomination for the Presidency. He was not opposed to the third term idea, and thought that if Grant was elected he would make one of the est Presidents the country had ever had.

Reading Machine Shop Burned Up. READING, December 23. — The warenouse, machine shop and part of the oundry works of the Rich Bros. were ourned, Loss \$45,000.

BUSINESS PROPERTY BURNED AUGUSTA, GA., December 23.—A destructive fire at Waynesboro last night consumed the stores of W. A. Wilkins, W. L. Marshall, P. R. Beall, J. E. Tant, J. A. Palhill, McCatherine & Co., and S. Schwarzweis. Several persons were injured, one colored man fatally. Insurance \$45,000. A COLLEGE CHEMITED

NORTHFIELD, MINN., December 23.

Carleton College was totally consumed by fire to-day. The college was closed for va-

The Maine Republicans. Augusta, Mr., December 23,-A meet-

ing of the Republican State Committee and prominent Republicans from various parts of the State, was held in Senator Blaine's residence, resulted in the appointment of a committee to advise and co-operate with the Republican members of the Legislature.

In galiant services, died of wounds received in a previous engagement. Two officers are ill from small-pox. Pneumo-nais is increasing, owing to cold weather and the exposure of the men, otherwise the health of the troops is good. The number of sick among the Europeans only amounts to 4 per cent.

The Wrestlers.
Cincinnati, December 23.—The wresting match to-night, between Jno. Mc-Mahon and W. L. Kennedy, collar and shanon and w. L. Kennedy, contar and elbow style, at Robinson's Opera House, was won by McMahon. Kennedy won the first fall, but McMahon threw Kennedy the next two falls. McMahon starts for Boston to-morrow, where he has a match with Dufour.

The St. Louis Gas Controversy House of Municipal Assembly to-night passed a resolution instructing the Mayor Councillors to take an appeal of

sue out a writ of error in the case of the city against the St. Louis Gas Light Compauy, if such course meets their approval. Big Movement by Keene. NEW YORK, December 22,-A report gained credence in Wall street to-day that James Keene will soon withdraw \$5,000. 000 from the banks here to be sent to Chi-

engo and Milwaukee to "margin" wheat contracts beginning to fall due January 2

Aid for Ireland. Sr. Louis, December 23.—The Execu-tive Committee of the Irish Relief Fund, will to-morrow send a draft of \$1,500 to Archbishop McHale, of Taum, Ireland, for the relief of the poor, irrespective of

creed or locality. A New Telegraph President NEW YORK, December 23 .- Albert B. Chandler was to-day elected President of the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company, in the place of General Eckert, re-signed.

Secretary Sherman in New York. New York, December 23 .- Secretary Sherman was at the Custom House to-day where he received many prominent me chants and bankers.

Ocean Vessels.

London, December 23. — The Donan from New York, and Iberian from Boston arrived out.

JUDGE FIELD, of the United States Supreme Court, says: "Bethesda Water will cure any disease of the kidneys direct or remote." 124 cents up, at Speyer Bros'.

FOREIGN NEWS

Particulars of the Sinking of the Steamer Borussia-Another Ocean Horror-Revival of the Tichborne Excitement in England-Revolution in San

THE BORUSSIA'S CREW.

LONDON, December 23 .- Part of the erew of the steamer Borussia, from Liverave been landed at Queenstown. The dition on the 2nd inst. The portion of the ships company landed at Queenstown consisted of the chief engineer, doctors, boatswain, and six seamen. They were picked up the 5th inst. in an open boat. The Borussia had 180 passengers, of which number 165 embarked at Liverpool and 75 at Coruna. The crew numbered 54 men. After leaving Corunna the 24th of November, the Borussia experienced terrific weather and sprang a leak the 1st of December. The severity of the weather increasing the meaning the m

QUERNSTON, December 23.—The survivors of the Borussia started immediately for Liverpool. It appears that a panic occurred among the passengers and crew. The survivorsstate that no order to launch the boats and prepare for the abandonment of the vessel was given by the oilleers. The crew themselves lowered the boats without waiting for orders. About a dozen passengers got into the boats with part of the crew; the remainder of the passengers went down in the vessel with the Captain, second mate, three engineers, eleven firemen, three stewards, the carpenter and two boys. One boat swamped alongside the steamer and its occupants. dongside the steamer and its occupants, ive men, were drowned. The survivors state that at 9 o'clock on the night of the abandonment of the vessel they saw a rocket ascend from the steamer and soon after her mast-head lights suddenly dis appeared.

Liverroot, December 23.—The survivors from the Borussia, report that the Captain and a majority of the crew remained on board of the vessel. Only sixty persons left in the boats.

A Cork dispatch reports that 184 persons were aboard of the Borussia. The Captain seeing that all efforts to save the vessel would be useless, ordered the boats to be got ready, some rafte prepared and necessaries provided. The vessel was abandoned at night, there being then ten or eleven feet of water in the engine room. or eleven feet of water in the engine room Four or five boats were lowered about the same time, but owing to the darkness an

THE AFGHAN CAMPAIGN.

London, December 23.—A dispatch from General Roberts, datod Cabul, December 19, says: Slight skirmishes took place on the 18th inst., during which one or two ol the principal Afghan leaders were killed. Our loss was one killed and two wounded. Snow fell here during the night but is disappearing.

The Viceroy of India telegraphs to-day as follows: Dispatches from General Roberts of the 18th, 17th and 18th insts., have just been received. The defenses of

ust been received. The defense Shirpur and cantonments have been copleted. The enemy occupies the heigh pleted. The enemy occupies the height over the city but does not descend int over the city but does not descend into the plains, which are patrolled by our cavairv. General Roberts was waiting the arrival of General Gough to make an attack, as he would then be strong enough to hold all the important positions, but he will attack the enemy before the arrival of General Gough if a favorable opportunity offers. Our loss on the 14th inst. was twenty-eight killed. On the 17th inst, the enemy appeared on Siahung but they were quickly dislodged without loss on our side. The enemy's numbers are diminishing. Mahomet Jan Mardak, the real Afghan leader had proclaimed the exAmeer Yakoob Khans eldest son, Ameer. General Roberts writes on the 20th inst, that a considerable quantity of grain had reached Starband each taken it that the that a considerable quantity of grain had reached Sataband safely, showing that the road is open so far. On the 19th inst. the reached Sate of the 19th inst. the road is open so far. On the 19th inst. the British lost nineteen wounded and Major Cook, who obtained the "Victoria Cross" for gallant services, died of wounds referred in a previous engagement. Two

PERUVIAN ADVICES.

Panama, December 23.—In the engagement at Tarapaca between 2,500 Chilians and 5,000 Peruvians under Buendin, the former were forced to retire after losing 1,000 men killed and seven cannon and three mitralleuse. The Peruvian loss was 600.

00. General Montro has taken the place of President Prado as director of the war, and the President has returned to Lima, where

HALFAX, December 23.—Captain-General Blanco has issued a proclamation announcing that all incendiaries and robbers captured in disturbed districts will be tried by court martial, and upon conviction, sentenced to death and that the general officers of the army in provinces will have authority to approve such sentences.

tences.

An official dispatch states that ex-Insurgent Chief Pancho Jaminez, lately pardoned, took up arms sgain on the 20th inst. and joined a party of insurgents from Sancit Spiritus in an attack upon Arroya Blanco. The troops repelled the attack, killing Jaminez with two of his so-called lieutanairs, disparsing the reproduces and

to the claimant of the property, heir-looms ond possessions of the Tichborne

PRENCH MINISTERIAL MUDDLE

the elements of a new ministerial combi-nation. He has called on Challemel La-

After leaving Corunna the 24th of November, the Borussia experienced terrific weather and sprang a leak the 1st of December. The severity of the weather increasing, the vessel was abandoned on the 2d, about 350 miles south of West Fayal. The captain and second officer remained with the sinking steamer's crew, and the passengers left her in eleven boats. The survivors have no hope for the other boats. Before they were separated one boat had capsized and all the occupants drowned.

Survivors stories.

Queenstrow, December 23.—The survivors favored with perfect of the formation of the Borussia started immediately for Liverpool. It appears that a panic occurred among the passengers and crew.

DE LESSEPS' RECEPTION.

Panama, December 23.—A committee has been appointed by the local government to arrange a proper reception for De Lesseps. Foreign merchants have no place on this committee, yet are the principal contributors to the funds. The festivities will include a ball, banquet and bull fight. De Lesseps will visit the United States by way of California.

The Panama Railroad is expected to be in full operation January 1, by which time 25,000 tons of freight will have accumulated.

GAS STOCKS VS. ELECTRICITY.

ount of electricity. London, December 23.—The news of Edison's discoveries has again depressed gas stocks.

Madrid, December 23 .- In the Squate

to-day, the debate on the abolition bill was continued, and all the clauses as far as article seven adopted. It is considered probable that the bill will be adopted in its HANGING POLITICAL OFFENDERS.

to imprisonment for terms ranging from 10 to 15 years in the mines. FRENCH POLITICS. LONDON, December 23.—The Standard

Beelin, December 23.-Weber has been elected in Magdeburg as member of the Ferman Parliament, defeating Vierck, Social Democrat, by 1,000 msjority.

DISMARUR'S NON-APPEARANCE.

Berlin, December 23.-Bismarck did

Brooklyn Gas Troubles. wrangle among the Brooklyn gas men cor gas companies into one organization. Four of the companies have voted in favor of Union-Argus, commenting on the situation Commensury on the situation, says: The people of Brooklyn have no confidence in the promises of cheaper gas. Gas ought to be cheaper and can be made so. Keeping up the price has brought some of our companies into great attaits. They claim that under the combination the expenses will be largely reduced, economies will be largely reduced, economies will be introduced and the millenium which kerosene and Edison alike threaten will be brought about by this grand consolidated benevolent enterprise, which will love Brooklyn not only wisely but well, and light our homes and business places on terms that will astonish the natives. We take very little stock in these expectations and aspirations. More comfort is to be found in the fact that the electric light is a perpetual threat to gas companies, and that the product of petroleum is a resource and a substitution when the oppressive hand of the gas monopolist gives another turn to the screw.

The White The Combination in did right, however, in giving Mayor Itobinson some money for the corporation. He can give it to the council to buy lamps, and we need lamps very much indeed. On coming up Water street, Bellaire, yesterday, our attention was attracted by the evergreen display at the "Boston sa large letter B, and inside the store is a beautiful Christmas tree, laden with the cheapest and best boots, shoes, galters and sippers we have ever seen. A night the tree is lighted with waxen tapers, and it is well worth your while to step in and see it, even if you do not wish to purchase goods. It will be kept until after the holidays.

The Whisky Trade, President Prado as director of the war, and the President has returned to Lima, where the Dictator is harshly spoken of, the failure of the war being charged to incapacity and want of particism on the part of Prado. Montro has in Arica 14,000 men, while the Chillians have in Tarapaca something over 15,000 men. Arica is blockaded and iquique is garrisoned by a few Chillian marines. The transportation of more supplies or reinforcements for the Peruvians in the South is impossible. Lima is well defended, and both that city and Callao are guarded in anticipation of an early attack by the Chillians. Mapy Peruvians admit that the Chillians are too many for them and begin to talk of peace.

HALIFAX, December 23.—Captain-General Bianco has issued a proclumation announcing that all incendiaries and robbers aptured in disturbed districts will be tried by court martial, and upon conviction, sentenced to death and that the general officers of the army in provinces will have authority to approve such sentence of the courted to the provinces will have authority to approve such sentence of the courted to the tried by court martial, and upon conviction, sentenced to death and that the general officers of the army in provinces will have authority to approve such sentence of the courted to the CINCINNATI, December 23 .- The forthcoming report of the Chamber of Com-merce, speaking of the whisky trade dur-did not fall below that of other years, a rest from apprehension as to the faithful- pated in it, and it shows just what Miss

Priests and Pork Packing.

CHICAGO, December 23.-There is no change in the condition of affairs at the stock yards, several of the largest houses refuse utterly to concede any further points to the workmen, Several others killing Jaminez with two of his so-called lieutenants, dispersing the remainder and capturing a box containing 10,000 cartridges.

TMAE TICHBORNE CLAIMANT.

London, December 23.—The announcement was made yesterday and extensively circulated and placarded in London and provinces stating that the Attorney General having granted his fist for a writ of error in the case of the Tichborne claimant, an association is being formed to asset in the prosecution of the Bat to obtain a remission of the sentence against the claimant, to promote the passage of a bill in the forthcoming session of Parliament for the reversal of judgment in the case of trothcoming session of Parliament for the reversal of judgment in the case of trothcoming session of Parliament for the reversal of judgment in the case of the Salton of are running very light, and only a few

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

a Christmas celebration Thursday evening at the church. There will be service and Paris, December 23.—President Grev Panta, December 23.—President Grevy did not approve of the policy of De Treycinct, or the persons whom he proposed as members of the Cabinet. De Treycinct consequent declined the task of forming a Ministry. President Grevy then urgently requested Waddington to provide for the vacancies caused by the resignation of Le Royer and Gen. Gresley. Waddington replied that he preferred Leon Say would be entrusted with the task, but as Say has not yet accepted the Presidency of the Council, Waddington is now fixing upon the elements of a new ministerial combia sermon by Rev. Rèmbo on Christmas morning at half-past ten. land along the creek, that is the part that belonged to B. R. Cowen, at the public sale Saturday. The Bellaire Implement Works are to be sold Wednesday. Superintendent J. T. Duff of our schools left on the morning boat Tuesday for Har-mar, with his family, to spend the holi-day wastion there.

mar, with his family, to spend the holi-day vacation there.

The Fourth ward school house is being remodeled in the basement. The old floor was of cement that was always cracking. It has already had to be repaired several times. A wooden floor is being put in-raised some inches from the ground and openings are being cut through the walls to admit the air.

The milk-men were able to cross on the creek bridge Tuesday morning and were much relieved. creek bridge Tuesday morning and were much relieved.

If people that have pigs running around living off the public only would shut them up! They must nearly starve them at home or they would not be so ravenous abroad. Monday an enterprising porker got thred of common grub and made a raid on the pastry (for a Christmas treat) in the Fourth. Ward. It went up three high steps into the house, put its muddy forefeet up on the lower shelf of an open cupboard and took a pie, plate and all, in its mouth. It left the plate on the floor and took the pie outside to eat.

There will be a festival at the Second M. E. Church (colored), on Belmont street, Thursday and Friday evenings. This festival is given by the Church Aid Society for the benefit of their new church. All are invited.

Those pupils of the public schools who have been remorated and who said the said and the sai

are invited.

Those pupils of the public schools who have been promoted, and who will read in a higher reader when school begins again, will use Appleton's and not Mefcuttey's readers. The changes will mostly be made in the second and third reader classes. Those who have to get new readers anyway will thus be the only ones affected by the change in books. This course will be pursued till the change in readers is completed. The teachers who have gone over and over the same old readers so often will surely rejoice at a change.

MONTREAL, December 23. - The gastocks fell from 115 to 110 to-day on ac

SPANISH ABOLITION.

Bridgeport will hold a meeting in the Kirkwood M. E. Church on Thursday ODESSA, December 23.—A court-martial laving sentenced three political offenders to be hanged they were executed on the 9th inst. Four others were condemned evening, for the purpose of appointing a delegate to attend a Temperance Convention to be held at Columbus, January 1st, 1880, to take some action in regard to a local option law for the State. A full atendance of all temperance people is earn-

Paris correspondent reports that the jour-nals unantmously assert that no Ministry-not possessing the support of the Repub-lican Left and Republican Union can live.

day school will go to the church Christ-mas morning for a treat of candy, oranges etc. Three hundred and fifty scholars reposted for their tickets last Sunday.

The Women's Temperance Society of

tendance of all temperance people is carnestly desired.

The Masonic supper and festival, last evening, was well attended and a success in every respect.

There's one muddler town than Bridgeport, but it is not built yet.

The new hall and hotel were opened Monday night, so we said it would be. Hall, music, people and supper good. Some Bridgeport sportsmen will shoot the glass balls a half mile west of this place on Ohristmas. The score will be published.

George Washington Thomas Porter, what we wondered at was, that after having such a hard time of it in walking from a saloon opposite the jail, away around to the dopot, and after all the trouble you experienced in turning Alexande's corner, that you would turn right around and walk back with Joe McConnaughy, and what we would be the proper of the dopot. That you were lying, after having tried to take the officers little cane away from him. And then what in world was you talking about to that old coat that was lying on the cell floor, and when it utterly refused to converse with you, or get up lying on the cell floor, and when it utterly refused to converse with you, or get up and enter into a conspiracy to break jail as you wanted it to, why didn't you quit talking to it and pick it up and use it to stop a hole to keep the wind away. You did right, however, in giving Mayor Rob-

MARTIN'S FERRY.

The entertainment given by the scholars though a less number of scholars partici-Coffin, its teacher, can do when she makes up her mind. Commercial Hall was packed full with those who have always taken a great interest in our school.

The recitations were all good, some of them very good, while the music was one bright thing of the entertainment. Being under the care of Prof. Schofield, is enough.

bright thing of the entertainment. Being funder the care of Prof. Schofield, is enough to warrant its quality. Little gems from some of the operas, were rendered in a manner worthy older heads and voices, and particularly the solos of Miss Flora Williams and Dottie Johnson.

Miss Annie S. Rainey, a teacher in the Blairsville, Pa., College, will spend the holidays at home hera.

Our German friends of the Lutherau Church are making every arrangement to intrinsh the scholars of the Sabbath School argand treat at the church on Christmas eve. Their Christmas trees are to be tilled with presents for the teachers and scholars. Ample preparations are being made by the pastor of the M. E. Church and the teachers of his Sabbath School to make their Christmas festival a grand success. Short addresses and music will be had, in fact everything that will tend to make it one of the most pleasant and enjoyable affairs that they have had.

Mr. John Gray, Professor of Mathematics in the college at New Concord, Ohiz, will spend his yacation here.

The officers and teachers of the Mission Sabbath School will give the children under their care a treat on Christmas morning.

A Long Vacation — Dyamatic Perform, anec.

Monoantown, December 22.
Editors Intelligencest.

The Board of Regents have granted a holiday vacation this year, extending from the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks. Whether such a break in the 23d inst. to the 5th of January, or say two weeks.

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others to judge.

The drama has been cultivated here of late. The Cadet Minstrel Troupe gave a dramatic performance on the evening of the 19th at Commencement Hall. The plece rendered was a farce in three acts, entitled "The White Horse of the Peppers." The leading character was represented by Joseph U. Devine, of Wheeling, who evinced real dramatic talent. Other characters were represented by Mr. C. Sommers, of Clarksburg, and C. D. Henry, of Newburgh. The character of "Agatha" was represented by Miss Florence Ankerny, who deserves special mention for the spirited and appreciative manner in which she entered into her part.

The Betheser Little and the control of the spirited and appreciative manner in which she entered into her part. The Episcopal Sunday-school will have

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of \$30.

The merchants are still doing a thriving business. Morgantown has not seen so much trade in many years.

om Washington says: A circular without a signature has been sent to the Clerks in the Departments from Maine, who served in the Union Army during the war, order in the Union Army during the war, ordering them to so arrange their affairs, that they can meet without delay at the Grand Army ball and organize a rifle club, and start at once for Augusta, Maine. The circular says the uniforms are to be gray coats and caps, and will be furnished with rations and transportation, and that a supply of Spencer rifles will be provided on their way north.

Railway Accident. GALVESTON, TEX., Decomber 23. -

News' special from Denver says that a freight train on the Missourj, Kansas and Texas road broke through a burning bridge near Durant station, and twenty-two cars were wrecked and burned. Mike Kelly, a fireman, fell into the fire and was burned to death.

River News. [By Telegraph.] MEMPHS, December 23.—The river has

CARO, December 23.—River 23 feet and falling. Light rain. Thermometer 42°. Pritishungu, December 23.—River 7 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and cool. EVANSVILLE, December 23.—Heavy rain ill afternoon. River rising with 16 feet 3

reported for their tickets last Sunday.

The pavement on the south side of part of Thirty-second street has been repaired. Office hours at the Postoffice on Uhristmas day will be from 8 A. M. till 10 A. M. R. C. F. hinches on gauge.

LOUISVILLE, December 23.—River rising with 16 feet 3 inches in the canal; 7 feet 4 inches on the falls.

Inches on the falls.

CINCINNATI, December 23.—River 17 feet 8 inches. Departed: Red Cloud, Pittsburgh: St. La vrence, Wheeling: Fashion, Henderson and Mary Houston, New Orlea's. The Virgie Lee has been parchased by the Memphis and Ohio River Packet Company. The James D. Parker has gone on the docks.

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